



Pre-Paid Cards in the Philippines

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Shop Small initiative

PROSPECTS AND OPPORTUNITIES

Significant development is unlikely over the forecast period

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Resurgence in spending and financial burden on consumers drive credit card transactions
Travel boosts spending and stimulates new product development
Higher interest rate imposed by the central bank

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